

# **EXHIBIT 71**

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**Sent:** 1/21/2010 7:05:07 PM  
**Subject:** FW: [scip] Forced Air Warming Devices

Sorry to forward more "happy" news.... Of course, the field isn't aware of all the things we are doing and have done to address this issue, but we'll need to further organize a definitive clinical response.

Bob G. and I will lay out a full plan (augmenting the existing plan) and pull Gary H. into the clinical planning component as needed.

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From: Collins, Jami  
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From: Tullis, Suzanne  
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To: Scott, Mark; Collins, Jami; Wick-Powell, Julie  
Cc: Register, Kevin  
Subject: FW: [scip] Forced Air Warming Devices

This issue is everywhere. We have got to develop a better strategy besides the Zink article. I just got an email from a new bp account saying that they may have to stop using bp because of the orthopedic docs request not to use on total joints.

Kind regards,  
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From: Vicki Jones [mailto:vjones@nmhs.net]  
Sent: Wednesday, January 20, 2010 6:46 PM  
To: Surgical Care Improvement Project  
Subject: [scip] Forced Air Warming Devices

Dr. Bratzer,  
Several of our Orthopedic physicians are refusing the use of forced air warming devices for joint replacement procedures at our facility. Their position is that they contribute to post-op wound infections because of the circulating air (air turbulence, etc). The literature they have and what I have found seems to support their position. Can you tell me of any evidence that contradicts their position and supports the use of forced air warming devices (bear huggers) in joint replacements?  
Thank You,

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